



 parkway baptist church

*July 16, 2023*

# ***PARKWAY BAPTIST CHURCH***

***July 16, 2023***

***\*Congregation, please stand***

Welcome and Announcements

Sarah Holik

Chiming of the Hour and Entrance of the Light

***\*Presentation of the Bible***

Prelude      *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*    Lusia Glagoleva  
Mary Ellen Kerrick, arr.

Call to Worship

Carey Huddlestun

Let us offer our praise to God, for we come to learn God's ways:

**O God, your word is a lamp to our feet, a light to our path;**

we lift our hearts to you

**as we seek to worship, adore, and follow you.**

Invocation

Rev. Caroline Smith

**\*Hymn 332**      *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*      Congregation

Children's Sermon

Sarah Holik

Ordination of Deacons

***Children ages kindergarten through second grade are invited to leave for Children's Worship***

Scripture

*Psalm 65:1-14*

Rev. Smith

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Smith

**\*Hymn 281**      *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*      Congregation

Offertory Prayer

Cathy Strang

Offertory

*Peace Like a River*  
Raney, arr.

Lusia Glagoleva  
Mary Ellen Kerrick

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|------------------------|--|-----------------|
| Anthem                 | <i>Amazing Grace</i><br>Gordon Light/Mark Miller, arr.   | Sanctuary Choir |
| Sermon                 | <i>Preparing the Soil</i><br>Acts 8:9-25   | Rev. Smith      |
| *Hymn 383              | <i>Near to the Heart of God</i>  | Congregation    |
| *Benediction           |  | Rev. Smith      |
| *Response              | <i>Gaelic Blessing</i><br><i>May the road rise to meet you; May the wind blow at your back;<br/>May the sun shine warmly on your face;<br/>May the rain fall softly on your field;<br/>and until we meet again, until we meet again,<br/>May God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.</i> | Congregation    |
| Departure of the Light |  |                 |
| Postlude               | <i>My Faith Has Found a Resting Place</i><br>Kirkpatrick, arr.   | David Barker    |

Our Deacon of the Week is Cathy Strang. Cathy has been a member at Parkway since 2016. She is married to Bill with two adult daughters, Rachel and Amy, and two grandsons, Levi and Rivers.

### ***Ice Cream Social Today!***

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm at the Parkway Ice Cream Parlor (aka fellowship hall)

### ***Missions Opportunities***

- Pack lunches for the kids at Rainbow Village on Wednesday, July 26.
- Purchase and donate school supplies for local schools.

### ***Quarterly Business Meeting and Potluck Lunch***

Sunday, August 6, at 12:15 pm in the fellowship hall.

Please bring an entree, side, or dessert, and label your containers.

# This Week's Calendar

|                |   |          |
|----------------|---|----------|
| Sun., July 16  | Children & Chaperones leave for Passport Kids' Camp   |          |
|                | Deacons' meeting                                      | 9:00 am  |
|                | Coffee Fellowship                                     | 9:30 am  |
|                | Sunday School   | 9:45 am  |
|                | Worship - Deacon ordination                           | 11:00 am |
|                | Finance committee meeting                             | 12:15 pm |
|                | Missions committee meeting                            | 12:15 pm |
|                | Ice Cream Social                                      | 3:00 pm  |
| Tues., July 18 | Men's group in the conference room                    | 9:00 am  |
|                | Ladies' lunch at Athens Kouzzina                      | 11:30 am |
| Wed., July 19  | Children & Chaperones return from Passport Kids' Camp |          |
| Sun., July 23  | Coffee Fellowship                                     | 9:30 am  |
|                | Sunday School   | 9:45 am  |
|                | Worship   | 11:00 am |
|                | Quarterly Church Council                              | 12:15 pm |



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